

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				C mplete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				Application Number	
				Filing Date	
				First Named Inventor	Koide, Yasuhisa
				Art Unit	
				Examiner Name	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	16889P-101900US

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS+					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1	US-			
	2	US-			
	3	US-			
	4	US-			
	5	US-			
	6	US-			
	7	US-			
	8	US-			
	9	US-			
	10	US-			
	11	US-			
	12	US-			
	13	US-			
	14	US-			
	15	US-			
	16	US-			
	17	US-			
	18	US-			
	19	US-			
	20	US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶
		Country Code ³	Number ⁴				
AG	21	JP	2002-183961	06-28-2002	Sony Corp	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	22					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	23					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	24					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	25					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	26					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	27					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	28					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Examiner Signature	/Adam Giesy/	Date Considered	08/18/2006
--------------------	--------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²Kind Codes of U.S. Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.
60096182 v1



Substation Mailbox 1449A/PTO				<i>Complete if Known</i>	
				Application Number	10/729,597
				Filing Date	December 5, 2003
				First Named Inventor	Yasuhisa Koide
				Art Unit	2652
				Examiner Name	Wayne Young
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	16869P-101900US

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS+					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
AG	1	US-2002/0105874	08-08-2002	Matsumoto	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Country Code ³	Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)		

Examiner Signature	/Adam Giesy/	Date Considered	08/18/2006
--------------------	--------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Kind Codes of U.S. Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

60613371 v1